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WITH SUBSTRATE MEASUREMENT NOT THROUGH LIQUID

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 20, 2006, Applicant amends the above-identified application as shown on the following attached pages: